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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR DR. BRZEZINSKI'S INTERCESSION IN POLISH
PASSPORT DENIAL CASE

REF: AMEMBASSY WARSAW MEMCON 12/7/77

1. WELL-KNOW POLISH COMPUTER SPECIALIST JACEK KARPINSKI
HAS AGAIN ASKED US WHETHER DR. BRZEZINSKI COULD HELP HIM
GET HIS POLISH PASSPORT BY MENTIONING MR. KARPINSKI'S
NAME DURING CONVERSATIONS HERE WITH POLISH OFFICIALS.

2. WHILE NOT A DISSIDENT HIMSELF, KARPINSKI HAS GOOD
CONTACTS IN SUCH CIRCLES. HOWEVER, AS EXPLAINED IN THE
BACKGROUND MATERIALS SENT TO JACK SEYMOUR (EUR/EE) WITH
THE REF MEMCON, KARPINSKI SAYS HIS PASSPORT WAS WITHDRAWN
IN 1973 AFTER HIS SMALL COMPUTER PLANT WAS CLOSED DOWN.

3. KARPINSKI TOLD US TODAY THAT ON NOVEMBER 24
HE SENT A LETTER TO THE PZPR CENTRAL COMMITTEE SAYING
HE INTENDS TO TRY TO SEE DR. BRZEZINSKI TO
DISCUSS HIS SITUATION DURING THE PRESIDENTIAL VISIT.

4. UNLESS INSTRUCTED TO THE CONTRARY, WE WILL TELL
KARPINSKI THAT THERE IS NO TIME ON
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DR. BRZEZINSKI'S SCHEUDLE FOR A MEETING AND WILL OTHERWISE
FOLLOW THE GUIDANCE WE ALREADY HAVE FOR DISSIDENTS.

5. WE LEAVE IT TO THE DEPARTMENT TO DETERMINE WHETHER
IT IS FEASIBLE TO RECOMMEND TO DR. BRZEZINSKI THAT HE
SHOULD MENTION KARPINSKI'S CASE TO A POLISH OFFICIAL.
KARPINSKI'S IS A DESERVING CASE, BUT DR. BRZEZINSKI AND THE

OTHER MEMBERS OF THE PARTY WILL HAVE THEIR HANDS FULL
OTHERWISE.
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